

House Resolution No. 2750

Whereas, the Potosi R-III School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on June 30, 2003, with the retirement of Rebecca Lynn Howell who has devoted thirty-three years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as a teacher; and

Whereas, Rebecca Howell, who currently teaches seventh grade social studies, has taught for twenty-five years at John Evans Middle School, where she is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Rebecca Howell has worked for the Potosi R-III School District, St. Anthony's Elementary School in High Ridge, and St. Andrews Elementary School in Ft. Worth, Texas; has instructed children in second through ninth grades; and has taught language arts and social studies on the middle school level; and

Whereas, Rebecca Howell has supported her profession as a member of the Community Teachers Association, the Missouri State Teachers Association, the Career Ladder Committee, the Welfare Committee, the Professional Development Committee, and the Missouri Assessment Program Committee; and

Whereas, Rebecca Howell is also a member of the Mine Au Breton Historical Society, the St. James Adult Choir, Best Friends Bridge Club, and St. James Catholic Church; and

Whereas, Rebecca Howell has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Thomas E. Howell; one daughter and son-in-law, Dawn M. and Daniel Huck; one grandson, J.T. Huck; her mother; Dorothy Watson; one aunt, Pat Casey; and two sisters, Sharon Smith and Julie Stewart:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join the Potosi R-III School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Rebecca Howell has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Rebecca Lynn Howell, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Belinda Harris
District No. 110

Representative J.C. Kuessner
District No. 152

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2750, adopted May 9, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker